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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director (Plans)
Deputy Director (Intelligence)
Assistant Director for Communications
Director of Training

SUBJECT : Dispersal of Essential Wartime Functions

REFERENCES : a. Letter to the Director of Central Intelligence, from the Director, Office of Defense Mobilization, dated 16 October 1953.
b. Letter to the Director, Office of Defense Mobilization, from the Director of Central Intelligence, dated 21 October 1953.

The attached exchange of correspondence (references a. and b.) between the Director of Central Intelligence and the Director, Office of Defense Mobilization, is self-explanatory. It is our desire to supply to ODM information which will insure that CIA's requirements are taken into full consideration in the development of their plans and, at the same time, avoid disclosing functions, numbers of personnel, etc. which would in any way be inconsistent with our responsibility to protect intelligence sources and methods. It will, however, be necessary for the information furnished to be obtained with some speed in view of the very short deadline imposed. Your cooperation in assisting [redacted] in the development of this information is earnestly requested.

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/S/
L. K. WHITE
Acting Deputy Director
(Administration)

2 Attachments:
Ref. a.
Ref. b.

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